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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

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Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 25, 2001 for two (2) months from December 25, 2001 to February 25, 2002. Please charge the fee provided in:

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